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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Satyendra Yadav )  
Serial No.: 09/965,265 )  
Filed: September 26, 2001 )  
For: Method and Apparatus Enabling )  
Both Legacy and New Applications )  
To Access An InfiniBand Fabric )  
Via A Socket API )  
Examiner: V. H. Nguyen )  
Group Art Unit: 2126 )  
Docket No.: P11647 )  
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AMENDMENT

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This amendment is submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in response to  
a non-final office action.

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

The following amendments and remarks are proposed in response to the Office Action mailed June 4, 2004.

Claims 1-14 are currently pending in the application, and all claims stand rejected. Applicant proposes herein to amend claims 1, 2, 4-8, 10, 11, and 14. Applicant also proposes to amend the specification, as set forth below.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the amendments set forth herein and the accompanying remarks.